2. The person or persons entitled to recover possession of the timber will be required to pay to the Forest Officer such sum as may be due for salving and storing the same :—

Serial No.	Kind of timber.	Marks, etc., on the log.	Length.	Girth.	Cubical contents.
			Ft. In.		Ft.
1	Teak logs ...	Numbered as 92 as the log. Lying in Itna village kadu.	13 9	6′—6″	35
2	Bite logs ...	No marks or numbers on the log. Lying at Kittur village in Patel's custody.	17 0	3′—0″	10

Notification dated 17th April 1904.

It is hereby notified for general information that the following quantities more or less of minor forest produce will be sold by public auction in the Depôts and Koties of the Mysore District on the dates specified against each :—

No.	Name of Depot or Koti.	Date of sale.	Designation of the officer conducting the sale.	Minor Forest Products.													
				Gall-nuts.		Honey.		Bees wax.		Deer horn.		Seege kayi.		Lac 1st class.		Lac 2nd class.	
				Maunds.	lbs.	Mds	lbs	Mds		Mds	lbs	Mds	lbs	Mds	lbs	Mds	lbs
1	Mysore woodyard ..	2—5—04	District Forest Officer.	2,423	7	9	17	8	27	11	24	97	...	...	...	...	...
2	Seringapatam Koti...	3—5—04	Do ...	1,678	...	1	26	...	22	...	...	...	...	44	...	...	7
3	Chamrajnagar Depôt.	5—5—04	Range Officer, Chamrajnagar.	2,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
4	Gundlupet do	7—5—04	Range Officer, Gundlupet.	4,000	...	1	26	6	27	1	5	...	...	...	...	...	...
5	Hunsur Koti ...	9—5—04	Range Officer, Hunsur.	1,794	21	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

Terms of sale.—*Vide* Inspector General's Notification, dated 11th June 1887, published at pages 287–288 of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 18th June 1887.

C. APPAIYA, *Dt. Forest Officer, Mysore Dt.*

EXCISE DEPARTMENT.

SALE OF DRUG SHOPS FOR 1904-05.

Notice No. 7402-7, dated 11th April 1904.

1. Notice is hereby given that the exclusive privilege of selling intoxicating drugs in each of the shops specified in the schedule hereto appended, for the twelve months beginning with 1st July 1904 and ending with 30th June 1905, will be put up to public auction by the respective Deputy Commissioners or by Assistant Commissioners specially authorized by the Deputy Commissioners for the purpose, at the respective taluk or sub-taluk head-quarters, on the dates specified in the said schedule, subject to the conditions hereinafter set forth.

2. Each bidder at the auction will deposit a sum of Rs. 5, or such other reasonable amount as may be fixed by the officer conducting the sale, previous to bidding, provided that the Government may at any time dispense with such initial deposit. Each shop will be knocked down to the approved highest bidder, subject to formal confirmation by the Deputy Commissioner, who will be at liberty to accept or reject the bid at discretion without assigning reasons for the same. Such formal confirmation will, *unless revised by Government*, be tantamount to an acceptance of the bid. Parties intending to bid must attend either in person or by duly accredited agents. No shop shall be knocked down in the name of more than one person or of more than one company or firm duly represented. The selling officer shall refuse to register as purchaser any one in whose name the bidding has not proceeded.

3. As soon as the auction is completed, the deposits made by the unsuccessful bidders and not forfeited as hereinafter provided, will be returned to them. As the auction proceeds, the person whose bid is accepted for each shop shall at once deposit a sum equal to $\frac{3}{8}$ths of a month's rent for that shop. Should he fail to do so, the deposit made by him under para 2 will be forfeited, the shop will at once be put up again on the above conditions, and he will be debarred from bidding again for the same or for any other shop.

4. The persons to whom the shops have been knocked down, and who have made deposits as provided in paras 2 and 3, shall also be required to leave his address with the sale conducting officer in order that the confirmation of the sale may be communicated to that address by a notice, etc., and he shall, within 7 days, after the service of the said notice by its presentation to the purchaser or any adult male member in the place of said address or by its being affixed thereto or by its forwardal duly registered by post, pay at the Taluk Treasury concerned such further sum as, with the first and second deposits, will make up an amount equal to two months' rent of each shop knocked down to them; and shall take out licenses and execute a

counterpart engagement, in the prescribed forms, on the conditions hereinafter set forth. On the failure of any person to make the deposit or to take out license or to execute the counterpart engagement, as aforesaid, the shop will be re-sold at the risk of such person, or if the auction hereby notified has already been completed, will be otherwise disposed of at the discretion of the Deputy Commissioner. In the case of the purchaser's death after the confirmation of the sale, it will be binding on his heirs or assigns.

5. Re-sales effected under para 4 will be at the risk of the defaulting bidder, who will forfeit all gain; and in the event of a loss by re-sale or other disposal he will make good the deficiency between the total amount payable for the whole period under the terms of the original sale and the total amount payable by the successful bidder at the re-sale or other disposal. In the latter case, the forfeited deposit will be deducted from the loss arising from the re-sale and the remainder, if any, will be recovered from the bidder in the same manner as if it were an arrear of land revenue. Should, however, the forfeited deposit be greater than the loss by re-sale, the whole of such deposit will be credited to Government.

6. The license to be taken out under para 4 above, shall be subject to the following conditions, namely:—

(1) The amount for which the privilege has been purchased shall be payable into the Taluk Treasury on the prescribed challan in equal monthly instalments commencing from July 1904; each instalment shall be regarded as the rent for the month in respect of which it is payable. Each month's rent shall be payable on or before the 20th of the same month on the challan prescribed for the purpose. If such amount be less than Rs. 12, it shall be paid up in not more than three quarterly instalments commencing from 1st July 1904. The deposit of two months' rent made by the licensee, will be taken in payment of the rents due for the last two months of the period of the license. Failing payment by the 20th of the same month or before the end of the quarter for which the instalment is due, the Deputy Commissioner shall at once proceed to recover the arrears together with interest at 6 per cent under the rules in force for the collection of land revenue. No remission or abatement of the rent shall, on any account whatever, be claimable by the licensee.

(2) The licensee shall purchase Ganja and Majum from any Bonded Depot at the rates of Re. 0-13-4 and Re. 0-5-4, respectively, per seer of 80 tolas; and shall pay the price to the Mutsaddi in charge of the Depot.

(3) The rates payable as above, shall be in addition to Excise duty, which shall be prepaid into the Taluk Treasury, or into any other Government Treasury with the permission of the Deputy Commissioner, at Rs. 3-6-8 per seer of Ganja and Re. 0-11-8 per seer of Majum, (including local cess).

(4) The Ganja sold by the licensee, shall be of good quality and unadulterated, and it shall be sold by him at Rs. 10 for a seer of 80 tolas of Ganja or annas two per tola of Ganja and of Rs. 1-10-8 for a seer of Majum; and the whole stock of Ganja and Majum on hand shall be kept in the licensed shop and not elsewhere on any pretext whatever, without special permission.

(5) The licensee shall use such scales and weights as may from time to time be prescribed by Government, and provide himself with the printed forms of accounts and permits or passes for transport of Drugs, which forms shall be purchased from local Excise Officers.

(6) The licensee shall be bound to take over any Drugs which may remain as stock in hand belonging to the out-going licensee on the 1st July 1904 in the existing shop, paying to the latter such compensation for the same as may be fixed by the Deputy Commissioner.

(7) The licensee shall be bound by the rules in force, and by such further rules as may be issued from time to time by Government. He shall not during the term of his license, without the written permission of the Excise Commissioner, have any interest direct or indirect in any intoxicating drug shop outside the Mysore State or in the Civil and Military Station.

(8) No female shall be employed in the sale of intoxicating drugs.

(9) The remaining terms and conditions shall be as set forth in the prescribed license.

7. In the case of any breach of the above conditions either by the licensee, or with his connivance and privity, by any person in his employment, or in the event of the licensee neglecting to open his shop or to carry on his business with due care and attention, it shall be competent to the Deputy Commissioner to impose upon the licensee a fine not exceeding Rs. 10 for every such breach or neglect, or at the option of the Deputy Commissioner to declare the money deposited with him forfeited, and to cancel the license and to re-sell or to otherwise dispose of the privilege at the risk of the licensee; and all loss thereby caused, together with the loss accruing to Government in consequence of the licensee not carrying on his business by opening his shop on 1st July 1904 shall be made good by him. When a license is cancelled, the rent for the whole period of the license shall become due at once, which shall be recovered together with all losses as if they were arrears of land revenue.

8. The penalties laid down in the last preceding clause shall not exempt the licensee or his employees from prosecution for any offence committed against the Excise laws or rules in force.

SCHEDULE.

Vide Ganja and Opium Schedules published in the Supplement to the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 31st March 1904, subject to the following *corrigenda*:—

Page 3—*for*	11th April 1904	...	...	*read*	2nd May 1904.
„	14th „	...	...	„	2nd „
„	16th „	...	...	„	3rd „
„	18th „	...	...	„	4th „
„	19th „	...	...	„	5th „
„	20th „	...	...	„	7th „
Do 9—*for*	16th „	...	...	„	20th „
„	18th „	...	...	„	21st „
Do 11—*for*	20th „	...	..	„	23rd „
„	22nd „	...	...	„	24th „
„	28th „	...	..	„	30th „
„	25th „	...	...	„	27th „
Do 13—*for*	30th „	...	...	„	2nd June 1904 against Seringapatam.
Do 15—*for*	20th „	...	...	„	19th May 1904.
„	22nd „	...	...	„	21st „
„	25th „	...	...	„	23rd „
„	28th „	...	...	„	27th „
	16th „	...	...	„	25th „
Do 17—*for*	18th „	...	...	„	18th „ against Kadur.
„	28th „	...	...	„	7th June 1904.
„	11th „	..	...	„	21st May 1904.
„	25th „	..	...	„	4th June 1904
„	22nd „	...	...	„	1st „
„	20th „	..	...	„	30th May 1904.
„	18th „	...	...	„	27th „ against Sagar.
Do 19—*for*	16th „	...	...	„	25th „
„	14th „	...	...	„	24th „

(ENCLOSURE IN No. 6.)

Notification.

The following rules are prescribed by the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore, for regulating the appointments and promotions in the Excise Department:—

(1) No person shall be appointed an Excise Inspector, who has not passed the Excise Test and Criminal Test of the Local Service Examinations.

(2) Claims of candidates for appointment or promotion to the post of Excise Inspector, shall be accorded preference in the following order:—
(*a*) Graduates in law who have passed the Excise Test.
(*b*) Other Graduates who have passed the Excise Test and Criminal Test.
(*c*) Under-Graduates who have passed the Excise Test and Criminal Test.
(*d*) Other persons who have passed the Excise Test and Criminal Test.

(3) Every person before being sent out as Excise Inspector, shall undergo training for a period of not less than three months in the Government Central Distillery and Excise Laboratory and in the Riding School.

(4) No person shall be appointed an Excise Assistant Inspector, who has not passed the Excise Test of the Local Service Examination.

(5) Claims of candidates for appointment or promotion to the post of Excise Assistant Inspector, shall be accorded preference in the following order:—
(*a*) Graduates who have passed the Excise Test.
(*b*) Under-Graduates who have passed the Excise Test.
(*c*) Other persons who have passed the Excise Test.

(6) No person shall be eligible to a post in the Excise Department, carrying a pay of Rs. 15 and upwards, unless he has passed at least the Matriculation Examination with Kannada as optional language.

(7) No person shall be eligible for appointment to a post carrying a pay of less than Rs. 15 per mensem, unless he has passed the Mysore Lower Secondary Examination in English or Kannada.

(8) Any officer who, on the ground of qualified men not being available, deems it necessary to appoint unpassed men, shall obtain the sanction of the Excise Commissioner; and such sanction shall not be given unless the vacancies are advertised in three successive issues of the *Mysore Gazette*, and unless in response to such notification, no applications from qualified candidates are forthcoming within a month of the last issue of such notification. In the *interim* it shall be competent to the officer to fill up the vacancies temporarily with such men as he may select.

(9) A pass in the Excise Test, Criminal Test and Account Test shall be an essential qualification, for all clerks and accountants drawing more than Rs. 50 in the Excise Commissioner's office.

(10) The above rules shall in no wise affect the promotion of old officials of approved service in the Department.

P. N. PURNAIYA, *Excise Comr. in Mysore.*

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Notice dated 7th April 1904.

A reward of Rs. 200 is offered by Yasothaboyi, wife of the late Tank Inspector Jeevana Rao of the Hosdurga Taluk, to any person or persons who will give information leading to the detection of the property undermentioned, which was contained in an iron safe, stolen from her house on the 26th January 1904 at Hosdurga town :—

LIST OF PROPERTY.

	Description.	*Value.* Rs. a. p.
1.	Gold sarige (ಸರಿಗೆ) with gundus (ಗುಂಡುಗಳು)	375 0 0
2.	Gold kasinasara (ಕಾಸಿನಸರ) consisting of 50 franks	180 0 0
3.	Gold addike (ಅಡ್ಡಿಕೆ) with gejjes (ಗೆಜ್ಜೆಗಳು) in 3 strings ...	210 0 0
4.	Gold ring, one pair	24 0 0
5.	One gold ring (ಸುತ್ತುಉಂಗುರ)	30 0 0
6.	One nagara (ನಾಗರ) with the letter "ಪ" inscribed on its back in Kanarese.	24 0 0
7.	One gold bracelet (ಬಳೆ)	225 0 0
8.	One ring set with one diamond and two rubies	25 0 0
9.	One ordinary gold nagara (ನಾಗರ)	24 0 0
10.	One gold chowri (ಜವುರಿ)	24 0 0
11.	Do do	24 0 0
12.	One gold puthali sara (ಪುಥ್ಥಾಳಿಸರ) with six puthalis (ಪುಥ್ಥಾಳಿಗಳು) with tiger's claws set in gold in the middle (each puthali is worth 7 rupees).	50 0 0
13.	One asali (ಅಸಲಿ) weight 6 sovereigns	90 0 0
14.	Two gold kutchus (ಭಂಗಾರದ ಕುಚ್ಚುಗಳು ಯುಗಡು)	12 0 0
15.	Gold chalatumbu, one pair (ಚಳತುಂಬು ಜತೆ ವಂದು)	5 0 0
16.	One gold huvvu (ಭಂಗಾರದ ಹುವ್ವು)	2 0 0
17.	Do do do	5 0 0
18.	Do (ಭಂಗಾರವಜತಹುವ್ವು)	2 0 0
19.	Gold bugadi, pair one (ಭಂಗಾರದ ಬುಗಡಿ) set with pearls ...	120 0 0
20.	One silver plate with four props (ಬೆಳ್ಳಿತಟ್ಟೆ)	25 0 0
21.	Three silver cups	21 0 0
22.	One silver donne (ದೊನ್ನೆ)	6 0 0
23.	One silver cup	3 0 0
24.	Do	1 0 0
25.	One silver cup (ಬೆಳ್ಳಿಕುಂಕುಮದ ಪ್ಯಾಲ)	2 0 0
26.	One silver spoon (ಉದ್ದರಣೆ)	2 0 0
27.	One silver belt (ಟಾಬು)	8 0 0
28.	One pair of silver gejje (ಗೆಜ್ಜೆ)	12 0 0
29.	One pair of halkadaga (ಹಾಲುಗಡಗ)	1 8 0
30.	One new sadi (small size)	4 0 0
31.	One madi sadi (ಮಡಿಸೀರೆ)	2 8 0
32.	One sadi (ಟೀರೆಕಲಾಬತ್ತು)	8 0 0
33.	One velvet cap (ಮಖಮಲ್)	1 0 0
34.	One gold nattu (ಭಂಗಾರದ ನತ್ತು)	200 0 0
35.	One gold nattu (ಭಂಗಾರದ ನತ್ತು) set with pearls . ..	25 0 0
36.	Gold bavali, one pair (ಬಾವಲಿ)..	6 0 0
37.	One suragi wristlet (ಸುರಗಿ ಬಳೆ)	18 12 0
38.	One silver thambige (ತಂಬಿಗೆ)	37 8 0
39.	One silver panchapathre (ಪಂಚಪಾತ್ರೆ)	11 4 0
40.	A promissory note for Rs. 200 by Yogappa .. ... }	...
41.	Another document executed by contractor Krishnappa for Rs. 200 }	1 0 0
42.	One small teak-wood box	4 0 0
43.	Four bodices (ಪುತ್ತಳಿಕಣ) costing one rupee each	...
44.	Three coats	

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